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The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Ms. WEXTON).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

Washington, DC, March 25, 2020.

I hereby appoint the Honorable Jennifer Wexton to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Robert W. Fisher, Saint John's Church, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Lord of all, this moment is not a moment that any of us would have chosen,

but You have chosen us for this moment.

Bless those who have been given great responsibility with great compassion for all people who will be affected by their decisions, with great wisdom to see beyond what is merely in the short term, with great courage to do what is right even when it is difficult or unpopular, with great magnanimity in how they treat one another, and with the gift of grace and love which carries us all when we put our trust and faith in You.

I pray Your blessing upon each one of us as we seek to do Your will this day, that our works may be pleasing in Your sight.

In Your name we pray. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 7(a) of House Resolution

891, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 7(b) of House Resolution 891, the House stands adjourned until 11 a.m. tomorrow.

Thereupon (at 10 o'clock and 2 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Thursday, March 26, 2020, at 11 a.m.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Official Foreign Travel during the fourth quarter of 2019 and the first quarter of 2020, pursuant to Public Law 95–384, are as follows:

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO GERMANY AND BELGIUM, EXPENDED BETWEEN FEB. 13 AND FEB. 17, 2020

	[Date		Per d	em 1	Transpo	rtation	Other p	urposes	Total	al
Name of Member or employee	Arrival	Departure	6 Germany	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²						
Hon. Nancy Pelosi	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Adam Schiff	2/13	2/16			1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Susan Davis	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Stephen Lynch	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Gerry Connolly	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Jim Himes	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Bill Keating	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Ro Khanna	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Jason Crow	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Hon. Veronica Escobar	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
RADM Dr. Brian Monahan	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Paul Irving	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Wyndee Parker	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Kate Knudson Wolters	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Emily Berret	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Henry Connelly	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Tim Bergreen	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80
Jeff Blakley	2/13	2/16	Germany		1,661.80		(3)				1,661.80

☐ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., ☐ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO GERMANY AND BELGIUM, EXPENDED BETWEEN FEB. 13 AND FEB. 17, 2020—Continued

Name of Member or employee	0)ate		Per di	em 1	Transpo	rtation	Other p	urposes	Tota	al
	Arrival	Departure	Country	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²						
Hon. Nancy Pelosi	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Adam Schiff	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Susan Davis	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Stephen Lynch	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Jim Himes	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Bill Keating	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Ro Khanna	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Jason Crow	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Hon. Veronica Escobar	2/16	2/17	Dalaium		131.00		(3)				131.00
RADM Dr. Brian Monahan	2/16	2/17	Dolaium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Paul Irving	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Wyndee Parker	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Káte Knudson Wolters	2/16	2/17	Dolaium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Emily Berret	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Henry Connelly	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Tim Bergreen	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Jeff Blakley	2/16	2/17	Belgium		131.00		(3)				131.00
Committee total					32,139.40						32,139.40

HON. NANCY PELOSI, Mar. 18, 2020.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN OCT. 1 AND DEC. 31, 2019 *

Name of Member or employee	[Date		Per di	em ¹	Transpo	rtation	Other p	urposes	Tota	al
	Arrival	Departure	Country	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²						
Hon. Welch	9/27	10/3	South America		1,363.04		1.304.30		809.23		3.476.57
Lucian Sikorskyj	9/27	10/3	South America		1.363.04		1,304,30		809.23		3,476.57
Betsy Hulme	9/27	10/3	South America		1,363.04		1,304.30		809.23		3,476.57
Hon. Himes	9/27	10/3	Asia		100.00		8,062.13				8,162.13
Hon. Maloney	9/27	10/3	Asia		414.00		8,750.73				9,164.73
Amanda Rogers Thorpe	9/27	10/3	Asia		553.00		8,523,23				9.076.23
Aaron Thurman	9/27	10/3	Asia		473.00		8,719.80				9,192.80
Lisa Major	9/27	10/3	Asia		473.00		8,790.70				9,263.70
Hon. Maloney	10/4	10/8	Asia		529.37		13,395,22		45.69		13,970,28
Abigail Grace	10/4	10/8	Asia		529.37		8,238,59		45.69		8,813,65
Kathy Suber	10/4	10/8	Asia		529.37		8,238,59		45.69		8,813,65
William Flanigan	10/4	10/8	Asia		529.37		8,238,59		45.69		8,813,65
Hon. Swalwell	10/5	10/11	South America		1.536.68		9,526,33		441.00		11.504.01
Thomas Eager	10/5	10/11	South America		1,536,68		9,526,33		441.00		11.504.01
Aaron Thurman	11/3	11/10	Africa		648.77		10,048,17		23.51		10,720,45
Lisa Major	11/3	11/10	Africa		648.77		10.048.17		23.51		10,720,45
Hon. Crawford	11/3	11/8	South America		564.00		15,604,55		201.67		16.370.22
Lucian Sikorskyj	11/3	11/8	South America		767.00		16,175,95		201.67		17.144.62
William Flanigan	11/3	11/8	South America		202.00		16,175.95		201.67		16.377.95
George Pappas	11/3	11/8	South America		767.00		16,175,95				17,144,62
Abigail Grace	11/2	11/10	Asia		2.099.00		12,089,55				14,188,55
Kimberlee Kerr	11/2	11/10	Asia		2,099.00		12,089.55				14,188,55
Kathy Suber	11/2	11/10	Asia		2,099.00		12,089.55				14.188.55
Hon. Sewell	11/2	11/8	Europe		2,018.51		5,210.25		529.80		7,758.56
Linda Cohen	11/2	11/8	Europe		2,018.52		10,095.15		529.80		12,643.47
Hon. Quigley	12/12	12/17	Europe		931.13		8,324.70				9,255.83
Aaron Thurman	12/12	12/17	Europe		931.13		1,351.45				2,282.58
Committee total					27,086.79		249,402.08		5,204.08		281,692.95

HON. ADAM B. SCHIFF, Mar. 13, 2020.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE, EXPENDED BETWEEN OCT. 1 AND DEC. 31, 2019

Name of Member or employee)ate		Per d	iem ¹	Transp	ortation	Other p	urposes	Tota	tal	
	Arrival	Departure	Country	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	
Hon. Alcee L. Hastings	9/28	10/6	Tunisia	Tunisian	570.03						570.03	
			Israel	Dinar Shekel Moroccan	1,040.00 2,111.60						1,040.00 2,111.60	
Hon. Joe Wilson	9/28	10/6	Tunisia	Dirham Tunisian	570.03						570.03	
			Israel	Dinar Shekel Moroccan Dirham	1,040.00 2,111.60						1,040.00 2,111.60	
Hon. Emanuel Cleaver	9/28	10/6	Tunisia	Tunisian Dinar	570.03						570.03	
			Israel Morocco	Shekel Moroccan	1,040.00 2,111.60						1,040.00 2,111.60	
Alex T. Johnson	9/28	10/6	Tunisia	Dirham Tunisian Dinar	570.03						570.03	
			Israel Morocco	Shekel Moroccan	1,040.00 1,487.73						1,040.00 1,487.73	
Everett Price	9/28	10/6	Tunisia	Dirham Tunisian Dinar	570.03						570.03	
			Israel Morocco	Shekel Moroccan Dirham	1,040.00 1,487.73						1,040.00 1,487.73	

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals. ² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended. ³ Military air transportation.

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² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.
*In accordance with title 22, United States Code, Section 1754(b)(2), information as would identify the foreign countries in which Committee Members and staff have traveled is omitted.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL. COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE. EXPENDED BETWEEN OCT. 1 AND DEC. 31, 2019—Continued

Name of Member or employee	[Date		Per di	em 1	Transpo	ortation	Other p	urposes	Tota	al
	Arrival	Departure	Country	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Francois Hernandez	9/28	10/6	Tunisia	Tunisian Dinar	570.03						570.03
			Israel Morocco	Shekel Moroccan Dirham	1,040.00 1,487.73						1,040.00 1,487.73
Bob Hand	9/28	10/6	Tunisia	Tunisian Dinar	570.03						570.03
			Morocco	Moroccan Dirham	1,799.67		433.10				2,232.77
Alex Tiersky	10/3	10/5	Denmark	Denmark Krone	771.00						771.00
Alex T. Johnson	10/9	10/16	Malta Austria	Euro Euro	729.31 1,307.68		3,364.83				4,094.14 1,307.68
Paul Massaro	10/5	10/16	United Kingdom	Pound Sterling	1,176.47		4,264.73				5,441.20
Alex T. Johnson	11/7	11/17	Malta Austria Moldova France	Euro Euro Leu Euro	729.21 1,309.52 605.63 1,303.00 250.42		7,341.25				729.21 1,309.52 7,946.88 1,303.00
Everett Price	11/9	11/20	Sweden	Krona Lari Manat	1,626.00 543.06		9,095.50				250.42 10,721.50 543.06
Alex Tiersky	11/9 11/13	11/15 11/17	Azerbaijan Georgia Belarus	Manat Lari Belarussian	880.00 764.33		16,223.95 4,790.65				17,103.95 5,554.98
Nathaniel Hurd	11/13	11/17	Belarus	Ruble Belarussian Ruble	859.95		4,790.65				5,650.60
Rachel Bauman	11/13	11/17	Belarus	Belarussian Ruble	773.09		14,145.65				14,918.74
Mischa Thompson Alex T. Johnson Alex Tiersky Mark Toner Shannon Simrell	11/17 12/1 12/1 12/1 12/3	11/21 12/8 12/8 12/8 12/8	Italy Slovakia	Euro Euro Euro Euro Euro	3,777.15 1,460.21 1,460.20 1,460.20 1,460.20		11,733.55 1,573.95 1,573.95 1,573.95				15,510.70 3,034.16 3,034.15 3,034.15 1,460.20
Committee total					46,074.50		80,905.71				126,980.21

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

HON. ALCEE L. HASTINGS, Mar. 13, 2020.

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EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4168. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Air Plan Approval; California; Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District; Stationary Source Permits and Exemptions [EPA-R09-OAR-2019-0432; FRL-10005-66-Region 9] received March 12, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4169. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants: Asphalt Processing and Asphalt Roofing Manufacturing Residual Risk and Technology Review [EPA-HQ-OAR-2017-0662; FRL-10005-06-OAR] (RIN: 2060-AT34) received March 12, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4170. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's withdrawal of regulatory guide — Restart of a Nuclear Power Plant Shut Down by a Seismic Event [Regulatory Guide 1.167, Revision 0] received March 17, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4171. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 23-244, "Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development Limited Grant Making Authority for Check It Enterprises Amendment Act of 2020", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. CURTIS:

H.R. 6385. A bill to provide temporary relief from troubled debt restructuring disclosures, to delay the implementation of certain accounting standards for depository institutions substantially affected by COVID-19, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. GAETZ:

H.R. 6336. A bill to restrict the use of funds made available in appropriations Acts for fiscal year 2020 for the benefit of any United States or foreign person subject to the control of the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas:

H.R. 6387. A bill to correct technical omissions relating to international financial coperation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. HOULAHAN (for herself and Mr. Weber of Texas):

H.R. 6388. A bill to direct the National Space Council to develop a strategy to ensure the United State remains the preeminent space power in the face of growing global competition; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. RUSH:

H.R. 6389. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to ensure just and reason-

able charges for confinement facility communications services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. RYAN (for himself, Ms. SLOTKIN, Mr. KATKO, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mrs. Torres of California, Mr. Rose of New York, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. RUSH, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. SOTO, Mr. MALINOWSKI, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. HIMES, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. PRESSLEY, Mr. LAMB, Mrs. Trahan, Mr. Brown of Maryland, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. PHILLIPS, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. GALLEGO, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. Lynch, Ms. Lee of California, Ms. Speier. Mr. Raskin. Mr. Cisneros. Ms. Barragán, Mr. Kildee, Ms. Ste-VENS, Ms. HOULAHAN, Ms. WEXTON, Mr. Allred, Ms. Sherrill, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. GABBARD, Ms. Spanberger, Mr. Courtney, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. HASTINGS, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. KILMER, Ms. CRAIG, Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. SCANLON, Ms. NORTON, Mr. Beyer, Ms. Kuster of New Hampshire, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. Yarmuth, Ms. Escobar, Mr. Sires, Mr. Perlmutter, Mr. Kim, Mr. BALDERSON, and Mr. NEGUSE):

H.R. 6390. A bill to require the President to use authorities under the Defense Production Act of 1950 to require emergency production of medical equipment to address the COVID-19 outbreak; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. SCHNEIDER:

H.R. 6391. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow for a 5-year carryback of operating losses of small businesses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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